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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PGOV IN
SUBJECT: FINAL CABINET LIST

REF: NEW DELHI 4335

1. WITH THE DECISION BY JAGJIVAN RAM AND OTHERS TO
JOIN MORARJI DESAI'S CABINET (REFTTEL), REMAINING
PORTFOLIOS WERE ALLOCATED MARCH 27. RAM WILL
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BE DEFENSE MINISTER WHILE H.N. BAHUGUNA WILL HAVE CHEMICALS
AND FERTILIZERS. AKALI DAL LEADER PRAKASH SINGH BADAL WAS
MOVED FROM COMMUNICATIONS TO AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION. FINAL
CABINET LIST FOLLOWS:

(A) MORARJI DESAI - PRIME MINISTER, ALL DEPARTMENTS
AND MINISTRIES NOT SPECIFIED WILL BE HELD BY P.M.

(B) CHARAN SINGH - HOME AFFAIRS

(C) JAGJIVAN RAM - DEFENSE

(D) L.K. ADVANI - INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING

(E) PRAKASH SINGH BADAL - AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION

(F) H.N. BAHUGUNA - CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS

(G) SIKANDAR BAKHT - WORKS, HOUSING, SUPPLY AND
REHABILITATION.

(H) SHANTI BHUSHAN - LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS

(I) DR. PRATAP CHANDRA CHUNDER - EDUCATION, SOCIAL
WELFARE AND DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE.

(J) MADHU DANDAVATE - RAILWAYS

(K) MOHAN DHARIA - COMMERCE, CIVIL SUPPLIES AND COOPER-
ATION.

(L) GEORGE FERNANDES - COMMUNICATIONS

(M) PURUSHOTTAM KAUSHIK - TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION

(N) H.M. PATEL - FINANCE, DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND
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BANKING.

(O) BIJU PATNAIK - STEEL AND MINES

(P) RAJ NARAIN - HEALTH AND FAMILY PLANNING

(Q) P. RAMACHANDRAN - ENERGY

(R) A.B. VAJPAYEE - EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

(S) RAVINDRA VARMA - PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND LABOR

(T) BRIJLAL VERMA - INDUSTRIES.SCHNEIDER

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